ಈ ರೀತಿಯ ಸಂದರ್ಭ ಇದುವರೆಗೂ ಬಂದಿರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಕನ್ನಡದಲ್ಲಿದ್ದರೆ, ನಾನೇ ಹಾಜರಿದ್ದು ಕನ್ನಡದಲ್ಲಿ ಉತ್ತರಗಳನ್ನು ಹೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ವಿ. ವೀರೇಗೌಡ.—ಈಗ ಆ ಕಟ್ಟಡದ ಕೆಲಸ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭವಾಗಿ roof levelವರೆಗೂ ಬಂದು ಬಾಗಿಲು, ಕಿಟಕಿಗಳನ್ನು ಇಟ್ಟು ವರ್ಷಾನುಗಟ್ಟಲೆ ಯಿಂದ ಮಳೆ ಗಾಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬಿಟ್ಟಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಆಗಿರುವ ನಷ್ಟಕ್ಕೆ ಯಾರು ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರರು?

ಶ್ರೀ ಅಣ್ಣಾರಾವ್ ಗಣಮುಖಿ.—ಇಲ್ಲಿಯವರೆಗೆ ಕೆಲಸವನ್ನು ರೆವೆನ್ಯೂ ಇಲಾಖೆಗೆ ಒಪ್ಪಿಸಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಆದರೆ ಈಗ ಅದನ್ನು ಪಬ್ಲಿಕ್ ವರ್ಕ್ಸ್ ಇಲಾಖೆಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಪೂರ್ಣಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Question time is over.

QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up).

Construction of a New Middle School Building in Mamballi, Yelandur Taluk.

*Q.—116. Smt. KEMPAMMA (Kollegal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether there is a proposal to demolish the old middle school building of Mamballi village in Yelandur taluk and to construct a new building;

(*b*) whether it has been demolished and if so, when;

(*c*) when they propose to construct the proposed new building and whether any donors of that place have come forward with an offer to construct the same;

(*d*) if so, the names of such donors?

A.—Sri ANNA RAO GANAMUKHI (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes. During May 1957.

(*c*) & (*d*) The question of constructing a new building for the Government Middle School is under consideration. Sowkar Sri T. S. Shivabasavaswamy of Mamballi has come forward with an offer to construct the same.

Repairs to Doddakere of Balaba Village in Hassan District.

*Q.—240. Sri H. K. SIDDIAH (Belur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that an estimate for the repair works of Doddakere of Balaba village, Kasaba Hobli, Alur Taluk, Hassan District, has been sent to Government for sanction;

(*b*) if so, since how long it is pending with Government?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply to clause (*a*) above.

Malnad Improvement Works in Hassan District.

*Q.—243. Sri H. K. SIDDIAH (Belur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that they have constituted a Malnad Development Board with a view to improve the Malnad areas of the State;

(*b*) the number of taluks in Hassan district which have been included as Malnad areas;

(*c*) the total amount they have allotted to the Board;

(*d*) the amount allotted to the Malnad taluks of Hassan District;

(*e*) the various works carried out in each taluk of Hassan District?

A.—Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY (Deputy Minister for Planning and Development).—

(*a*) Government have constituted the Malnad Development Board as a Sub-Committee of the State Development Council to study the problems of the Malnad area and to devise measures to be taken within the framework of the Second Five-Year Plan.

(*b*) All the taluks of Hassan District except Hassan, Arasikere, Holenarasipur and Channarayapatna taluks.

(*c*) Nil.

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(*d*) Does not arise in view of reply to (*c*).

(*e*) No works are carried out under the Malnad Development Board as such. All works are included in the Plan Programme and executed accordingly.

Satyagraha in connection with Border Disputes in Belgaum, Karwar and Bidar Districts.

*Q.—362. SRI B. D. NAIK (Nipani).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

the names of the villages in Belgaum, Karwar and Bidar Districts where Satyagraha was launched since 1st November 1958 in connection with the border disputes ?

*A.—SRI B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—

BELGAUM DISTRICT.

(1) Belgaum, (2) Nipani, and (3) Khanapur.

NORTH KANARA DISTRICT.

(1) Karwar, and (2) Halyal.

BIDAR DISTRICT.

(1) Bhalki.

ADJOURNMENT MOTION

Re : Death of a Satyagrahi in Bellary Central Prison.

MR. SPEAKER.—I have to bring a matter to the notice of hon'ble members. The Hon'ble Member Sri V. S. Patil has given notice of an adjournment motion, which reads as follows :

"I wish to move a motion for adjournment of the business of the Assembly for the purpose of discussing a definite matter of public importance under the following circumstances :

Hundreds of Satyagrahis convicted by the Magistrates at Belgaum, Chikodi (Nipani) and Khanapur in the Belgaum District. have been sent up to the Central Prison at Bellary. There is no adequate medical treatment in any of the prisons and consequently the Satyagrahi-convicts had to depend upon fate.

One of the Satyagrahis, Gopalappa Chaugule, died on 9th March 1959 in the Central Prison at Bellary for want of medical treatment and other facilities.

The prison authorities did not care even to intimate about the illness to the relatives of the deceased nor they took any care of the said Satyagrahi.

This inhuman conduct on the part of the Government is most reprehensible.

It is reliably learnt that many more Satyagrahi-prisoners at Bellary are suffering from 'flu', etc., and their lives are in danger due to the callous misbehaviour of the Government servants.

I, therefore, request you to grant me permission to move the said resolution of adjournment under rule 50 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Bnsiness."

I have to bring one fact to the notice of the Hon'ble Member. The portion relating to inhuman conduct, etc., has been disallowed by me, but so far as the two other points are concerned, namely, that one of the Satyagrahis died in the Prison, and that authorities did not care even to intimate the relatives of the deceased, I allow them, but before doing that I would like to hear from Government what they have to say in the matter.

SRI B. D. JATTI (Chief Minister).—Mr. Speaker, Sir, from 1st of November 1958 in all 7,920 Satyagrahis have offered Satyagraha ; 6,393 are from the Mysore State and 1,527 are from the Bombay State ; 1,785 have been convicted under the Bombay Police Act and 265 Satyagrahis have been transferred from Belgaum Jail to Bellary Jail. Sri Gopalappa Chaugale from Chikodi Taluk, Belgaum District, was convicted and sentenced by the First Class Magistrate, Chikodi, to